

CLAIM AMENDMENTS

1. (original) A method of forming a reveal impression in a concrete panel, comprising:

applying a coating of a releasing agent to a horizontal surface,

applying a layer of adhesive material to the coating of releasing agent,

applying a layer of adhesive material to a length of reveal strip,

placing the adhesive-coated reveal strip on the layer of adhesive on the concrete releasing agent,

pouring concrete over the coating of releasing agent and over the reveal strip, and

allowing the concrete to cure.

2-5 (canceled)

6. (new) A method according to claim 1, comprising applying a coating of a releasing agent over the reveal strip after placing the reveal strip on the layer of adhesive on the releasing agent and before pouring concrete over the coating of releasing agent and over the reveal strip.

7. (new) A method of forming a reveal impression in a concrete panel, comprising:

forming a concrete slab having a horizontal upper surface,

applying a coating of a releasing agent to the horizontal upper surface of the concrete slab,

applying a layer of adhesive material to the coating of releasing agent,

applying a layer of adhesive material to a length of reveal strip,

placing the adhesive-coated reveal strip on the layer of adhesive on the releasing agent,

pouring concrete over the coating of releasing agent and over the reveal strip, and

allowing the concrete to cure to form a concrete panel on the upper horizontal surface of the concrete slab.

8. (new) A method according to claim 7, comprising tilting the concrete panel upward to a vertical orientation while the reveal strip remains adhered to the horizontal upper surface of the concrete slab.

9. (new) A method according to claim 7, comprising applying a coating of a releasing agent over the reveal strip after placing the reveal strip on the layer of adhesive on the releasing agent and before pouring concrete over the coating of releasing agent and over the reveal strip.